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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Group Art Unit: 2839

KAZUMI MIYAMOTO et al

Examiner: C. Prasada

Serial No.: 09/779,605

BOX AF

Filed: February 9, 2001

For: CONNECTING MEMBER FOR A SOUND GENERATOR

AMENDMENT

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 10, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE DRAWINGS:

Please replace Figs. 1 and 2 with Figs. 1 and 2 as attached hereto.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

~~Page 4, amend the paragraph at lines 12-18 to read:~~

Each of the connecting spring plates 2 is made of phosphor bronze or stainless steel so as to have elasticity in whole, and formed into an L-shaped form and comprises a base end connecting portion 2A, intermediate portion 2C, branch